SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 716

By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jared Luckas, 2016 Valedictorian of Friendship Christian School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Jared Luckas is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2016 graduating class at Friendship Christian School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Luckas achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Jared Luckas earned an exemplary grade point average, while participating in a number of extracurricular organizations, including the National Honor Society, International Thespian Society, tennis team, drama and theater, and cross country; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Luckas's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Jared Luckas's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Carrie Luckas and Jim Luckas, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Luckas's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2016 Friendship Christian School Valedictorian, Jared Luckas, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.